

ABSTRACT

In a packaging bag (10) with a front wall and a rear wall made of packaging film the front wall and the rear wall are bonded together along a peripheral edge. The front wall and/or the rear wall is printed on the outside of the bag and bonded to a cover film (20a,b) printed on one or both sides, with substantially its entire area bonded to and peelable from the front or rear wall. The cover films (20a,b) are permanently attached to the packaging film in an edge area (24a,b). The arrangement of cover films (20a,b) increases the number of printable pages from the original two to a maximum of six if a cover film (20a,b) is arranged on each side of the bag and in addition to the printed packaging film on the front and rear of the bag (10), both sides of the cover films (20a,b) are also printed.

(Fig. 5)